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England affords, even in these degenerat

days of peace, innumerable examples of the class called "lucky fellows;" that is to say, men who have begun life with a charity-school education and a shilling, and are now prosperous in wealth and station. Perhaps it is hardly

fair to impute to good luck what may be mainly owing to industry, frugality, patience, and per-severance. But, after all, one may starve with all these virtues, in spite of all that copy-book

and sets them in motion at the right moment.

Men who have been the "architects of their

own fortunes" never admit that good luck has

had anything to do with their prosperity. Their

pardonable vanity at their own success makes

them guilty of a species of ingratitude to Provi-dence. Listen to one of these old gentlemen holding forth to his hopeful son or nephew on

" Alone I did it, boy."

first venture in the Chutnee East Indiaman had been a failure; or his first dabble in the stocks had not been followed by the battle of Leipsic;

or his senior partner, who had nine-tenths of

the profits of the business, had not departed this life suddenly in an apoplectic fit, he would

have held a very different position in the world,

and probably have been now a denizen of the second floor over his counting-house in the city, instead of a resident in Hyde Park Gardens.

An excellent specimen of this class of old gentlemen is "Uncle John." The obscurity of

his early days is so great that even he himself

finds it difficult to penetrate it. That he had a father and a mother is incontestable; but these

worthy people seem to have left this world of

sin at so early a period of Uncle John's exist-ence, that, for all practical purposes, he might as well have been without them. His first ju-

venile recollections are connected with yellow

stockings, leather shorts, a cutaway coatee with a tin badge on it, and a little round woollen cap-with a tuft in the middle of it, resting on a head formed by nature to accommodate a cap of double its dimensions. In a word, Uncle John

was a charity-boy.

It must not be imagined that the above fact

has ever been communicated by Uncle John

himself; for the worthy man is weak enough to

his days of early exile, than as a commonpl

sand pounds.

Uncle John is now worth thirty or forty thou-

Emerging from the charity school, and ex-

cleaning boots, and copying declarations. His

emoluments were not large—seven shillings a week and "find himself," which was less diffi-

cult, poor boy, than to find any thing for him-

self. But Uncle John persevered and was not disheartened. He lived literally on a crust,

and regaled himself only with the savory smells

issuing from the cook's-shop, which was not only an economical luxury, but had the advan-

tage of affording a stimulus to the imagination.

from his master.
Uncle John was never idle. When he had

nothing to do for his master, which was rarely

the case, he used to take a pen and any loose

piece of paper or parchment, and copy, or imi-

tate, the lawyer's engrossing hand-known as

this cramped style of writing. Having accom-plished this object, Uncle John determined to

better himself" by getting a situation as copy-

ing clerk instead of office-boy. He succeeded in his attempts, and was installed in another

attorney's office as engrossing clerk at twelve shillings a week—a salary which appeared to

him at the time enormous. But riches did not turn his head. The only increase which he

made in his previous expenditure was in wear-

ing a rather cleaner shirt, and discarding cor-

duroys for some more genteel material. Uncle John was too wise and self-denying to be seduced

inside the cook's-shop yet.

He was now saving at least six shillings

change took place in his condition.

without stopping to sentimentalize.

week which is £15 a year! For four years no

lived in his solitary garret; worked hard all

day, and borrowing law books from the articled

ome! poor fellow-what a name for his mise-

rable little room up in the tiles of a house in

the narrow court out of Fleet street! But Un-

ele John was a brave fellow, and worked on

A promotion now took place in the office, and

Uncle John was made chief common law-clerk,

at one pound a week. He had rendered himself

quite competent for the duties by his midnight

studies. He was never absent from his post,

never forgot any thing, and was never ill; for

he had the strength of a horse. It is suspected

that about this time Uncle John paid one or two

visits to the cook's-shop; but it must not be

As a rule, Uncle John dined on a piece of the

cheapest meat he could purchase, boiled by him-self in his garret. He was wise enough, however, to be very

neat in his dress, and thereby gained the credit

of being a very respectable young man in the eyes of his employer; for it is a very remark-

able fact that clerks are always expected to

dress like gentlemen when their salaries are not

thought that the visits were more than one or two

clerk in the office, which he read at night.

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even large enough to buy them food.

CALIFORNIA ITEMS.

A new paper, called the "Sunday Clarion," has been started in San Francisco. This is an evidence of progress. We observe, as another evidence of progress, that the first grand meeting over the Pioneer Race-course was to come off on the 24th, 25th and 26th of last month. Private soirees, masquerades, and fancy balls are also now among the characteristics of San Francisco society. We regret to see such items as the following chronicled in the newspapers. It is some consolation to find that American ladies shun such amusements:

maxims may say to the contrary. There is good luck in success, whatever may have been the qualities by which that good luck has been seized at the right moment and turned to good POLKA.—There was a "fancy ball" at the Polka on Sunday night last. The ladies were mostly French and Spanish—a few ladies being tolerably good-looking. Two or three elderly ladies whirled round the room as though they account. Industry, frugality, patience, and perseverance, form a perfect locomotive—good luck is the engine-driver who turns the handle were moved by the spirit of younger days. The gentleman who sung the Marseilles hymn is "some." There was a mixture of all nations, both male and female, on the occasion.

TAMMANY HALL .- Sunday night last was kept as usual at this place, and well filled it was, too. The ladies were principally Spanish, and the gents mostly Americans. Dancing and drinking was the principal feature of the occa-

his (the old gentleman's) past life; on his early poverty, his self-denial, his hard work, and his THE HOE-DOWNS .- These spirited assemblies subsequent reward; and the burden of his dison Pacific and Jackson streets, which are in full blast on Sunday nights above all others, Should the listener at any point be tempted rashly to exclaim "how lucky!" the old gentlewere for some cause not so fully attended as Yet there was a goodly sprinkling of black spirits, blue spirits, and gray; cat-gut and rot-gut were both in demand, the latter seman will turn on him with a severe frown and riously affecting the understanding of many of the suckers, who "made night hideous" with Luck, sir; nonsense. There's no such thing as luck. Live on a crust, sir; that's the only their yells and dancing! way for a man to get on in the world."

The old gentleman quite forgets that if his

BARRON AND DECATUR.

In consequence of the surrender of the Chesapeake, Barron was suspended from the navy for a term of years, and, going abroad to carn his bread, was in Denmark when the war of 1812 broke out. He did not return for some time, owing, as he said, to various insuperable difficulties. After the war, Decatur asserted publicly that cowardice was the true cause of Barron's delay. The popularity of Decatur, coupled with the affair of the Chesapeake, lent this assertion force; and Barron, feeling his professional character at stake, challenged Decatur, in compliance with the absurd code of the day. In that ill-omened duel Decatur fell. The result of the meeting increased the opprobrium against Barron. The death of the popular idol by his hand was regarded as little short of murder; all sorts of misrepresentations were put into circulation: and the unfortunate survivor found himself in a less enviable position than even before. It is said that Decatur, before he died, regretted his harshness towards Barron. It is certain that the sentiment of intelligent naval men, who had made themselves familiar with the controversy, has settled down into the conviction that Barron, from the very first, was as much sinned against as sinning.

We say this, not to re-open the wounds of angry debate, but to correct a popular misapprehension that appears to exist.

be ashamed of it, though he will discourse of his early privations in a mystical manner, with We believe that poverty was a principal cause of his inability to return to the United States earlier than he did. He seems to have made the design apparently of inducing you to regard him rather as a counterpart of Louis Philippe in every effort, short of almost impossibilities, to though equally interesting (to a right thinking get back to this country and participate in the war. Without being a hero like Decatur, he mind) young gentleman in yellow stockings. It is a fact, however, as indisputable as that was, we think, a man of courage, and his great adversary misunderstood and misrepresented him, when the charge of cowardice was made. The justification of Decatur consists, perhaps, in the fact that it was difficult for a man of his changing the leather shorts and yellow stockings for corduroys and grey worsted secks, Unheadlong, impulsive daring, to comprehend cle John obtained the appointment of office-boy others who were colder in their temperament and slower to act .- Phil. Bulletin farious-sweeping the office and serving writs,

MASCULINE MALIGNITIES .- They are from the the prize was 400,000 francs, or £16,000. Albany Dutchman, who, we suppose, is a bache- prize was solid gold, and was displayed in a lor, and the author of many "rejected addresses:"

"There is a hotel in Springfield that only charges half price for lovers, and yet the proprietor says he makes more money out of this class of boarders than any other people about the house. Let a youth, says he, sit up with a this side of Nicolaus, who had been shot through yellow spencer and blue eyes on Sunday night, the heart. On the collar of his coat was written He actually saved two shillings a week out of yellow spencer and blue eyes on Sunday night, his salary, not to mention an occasional dona-tion of a shilling on high days and holidays to pork and beans again till the latter part of stealing my mules, and I shot him." The dead the week.

"Tis distance lends enchantment to the view." This is true, not only of landscapes, but of such beauties as have overtaken thirty and passed it.

"A young lady lately appeared in male attire court hand-till he became a good penman in at St. Louis. Her disguise was so perfect, friend of ours writes us, that if she had had a little more modesty she might have passed as a

But here is his last :

"The attempt to light the Mammoth Cave with the Aurora Borealis has been abandoned— red-headed girls being deemed cheaper."

Cheaper! Red-haired or black-haired, they are the dearest of earthly products, and more heavenly than the northern lights and all the constellations; and if they cannot light the Mammoth Cave, they yet shed a pure and happy light wherever civilized humanity abides.

A CURIOSITY .- While Gov. Brown was in Key West, he was presented by Hon. A. Patterson with a miniature bust of Gen. Washington, found ten years ago, in the neighborhood of Mr. Patterson's premises, imbedded in the lime-stone which forms the island. The bust is of marble, and is evidently the work of a master. The expression is said to be identical with that of the famous statue of Washington at Richmond, allowed to be the best likeness in existence. The little bust is in a state of perfect preservation; all the delicate chiselling in the plaits of a ruffled shirt remaining as sharp and well defined as ever, and the marble without discoloration. Across the shoulders is inscribed the word "Washington"-a spelling which seems to indicate an Italian origin. In the same spot, two English guineas were foundthe dates and inscription of which we did not learn. All were probably deposited by some freebooter of the olden time.—Tallahassee Sen-

The use of white paint, as a cosmetic, renders the eyes weak, painful, and watery : it produces pimples on the skin, attacks the teeth, destroys the enamel, and loosens them. It heats the mouth and throat, and infects and corrupts the saliva. It penetrates the pores of the skin, and finally affects the lungs.

The yellow of the petals of flowers is the only color which is not discharged by the fumes of sulphurous acid.

"IF THE SUN BREED MAGGOTS IN A DEAD pog:" Hamlet .- The following is taken from

the Cincinnati Nonparoil: "A scientific gentleman of this city—whose name we are not permitted at this time to make public, without a breach of confidence—has

within the last six weeks, at various times, produced animal life solely from action of certain chemical preparations on each other, in such a manner as leads him to the conclusion that a more perfectly developed process, aided by far-ther scientific discoveries, will produce results miraculously astounding to the world! The specimen of life produced as above did not exist ore than twenty-four hours in either instance; but the simple fact of life-power being thus manifested and attested, as it is, by the personal examination of five or six eminent physicians, may lead to something of which the world of science, as at present, may look forward with awe and amazement !"

We shall anxiously await the patenting of the mechanical means of constructing animal organization, or will believe very firmly in it upon good evidence.

To DESTROY RATS .- In or near the places frequented by these pests, place upon a slate some dry oatmeal; lay it thin and press it flat, so that you may easily know what has been taken away. The rats, if not disturbed, will come regularly to feed upon this. Supply them thus with fresh oatmeal for two or three days, then add two or three drops of oil of aniseed; stir the mixture well together, feed them well with this for two or three days, then for one day give them only half the quantity they have usually caten, and on the next day place the following mixture: To four ounces of dry oatmeal, scented with six drops of oil of aniseed, add half an ounce of carbonate of barytes pounded; mix this well with the scented outmeal, then lay the mixture on the slate as the oatmeal had been placed, and allow the rats to come and eat of it without interruption. A few hours after having partaken of this meal, they may be seen running about as if drunk or paralytic, retiring to their haunts to die. Rats are exceedingly sagacious; therefore, where they have eaten only a small portion of the mixture, it should not be disturbed for some time. The oil of aniseed is disagreeable to dogs, and many other animals, but, in small quantities, alluring to rats.

A REGULAR BRANDY SMASHER .- An English

aper says:
"Mr. Joshua Dixon, of Downtown, in Wiltshire, who in 1801 died suddenly at the age of a hundred and three, had all his life been a re-markably free liver. According to his own calculation, he had consumed two thousand gallons of brandy, without taking into account a variety of other kinds of liquor. He moreover enjoyed his faculties to the last. He was twice married; and of his numerous offspring by both wives, the oldest had died at the age of seventy, whilst the youngest was only eighteen at her father's death. Had this man practised the temperance of some patriarchs, he might probably have attained the age of a hundred and fifty."

A ROLAND FOR AN OLIVER .- When General Oglethorpe, then a youth of fifteen, was serving under Prince Eugene, a prince of Wirtemberg who sat at table took a glass of wine and fillipped some of it into Oglethorpe's face. Oglethorpe, unwilling to be thought hasty and irascible, waited his opportunity and then said, "Prince, that was a good joke; but we do it much better in England," and threw a whole glass in the prince's face.

The French Government has permitted a "gold lottery" in Paris, for the purpose of re-munerating the Gardes Mobiles, who so bravely defended Paris during the three days' insurred tion. The price of each ticket was one franc; large pair of scales and guarded by a number of sergens de ville. Immense crowds attended this lottery.

THE WAY THEY DO THINGS IN CALIFORNIA .-The Pacific News has the following: A man was discovered on the bank of the river, two miles man was not recognised.

The city of Santa Cruz, Teneriffe, (Canary Islands,) is rapidly increasing in population. The English steamers to Brazil and the Spanish steamers from Cadiz to Havana have recently commenced stopping at Santa Cruz. The Rev. Sebastian Streeter, of the First

Universalist Church, Boston, united on Wednesday evening the three-thousandth couple since his installation over his present parish Gen. LESLIE COMBS has been unanimously

cominated to Congress in the Ashland District, Ky. He was the only candidate named, and a convention was declined by the people, though the General wished one called. A Croton water pipe in the fourth story of the store No. 45 Maiden Lane, N. Y., burst on Sat-

urday night, and it was not discovered till Sunday, when goods to the amount of \$3,000 were destroyed by the water. A World's Convention of Mechanics and Working-Men is to be held in London, during the Fair of 1851, for the purpose of effecting an

interchange of opinions in relation to the state of labor and the condition of the working classes in all parts of the world. The thinness of the rind of an orange, and its freedom from pips, depend on the age of the tree. The young trees bear fruit with a pulpy rind and many seeds. The oranges that we esteem the most are the produce of aged trees, while the least palatable come from those in

full vigor. When the Duc de Choiseul, a remarkably meagre man, came to London to negotiate a peace, Charles Townshend being asked whether the French government had sent the preliminaries of a treaty, replied, "He did not know, but they had sent the outline of an Ambassa

Economy is from the Greek oikos, a house; to distribute: the management of and nemo. household affairs, proper management of domestic concerns; frugality, method, contrivance,

FASHIONABLE-Balls and sources in New York

in day-time. The Odd-Fellows of New York are taking measures to establish a Savings Bank.